SAINT-AUBIN 1ER CRU
“LE CHARMOIS”

THE ESTATE: Domaine Hubert Bouzereau-Gruère & Filles is headed by Hubert Bouzereau and his two daughters, Marie-Laure and Marie-Anne. Winemaking has been in the family for 8 generations. The vineyard has grown over the years, and now covers an area of 10 hectares over 6 villages in Côte de Beaune: 8 hectares of white varietals and 2 hectares of red varietals.

LOCATION: This plot of southern-facing vines is neighbor to the appellation of Chassagne Montrachet 1er Cru les Chaumées and is one of the best Premier Crus of Saint Aubin

GRAPE VARIETAL: 100% Chardonnay

YEAR OF FIRST PLANTING: 1972-1975

SURFACE AREA: 33.42 ares

AVERAGE YIELD: 48-50 hl/ha

SOIL: White clay and limestone

HARVEST: Manual

VINIFICATION: Pneumatic pressing, débourbage, alcoholic fermentation without yeast, malolactic fermentation

AGING: Maturation in oak barrels with 25% new wood on the lees for 1 year with regular bâtonnage

TASTING NOTES: Beautiful pale color and a lemony nose, typical of Saint Aubin Premier Cru. The roundness, consistency, and the freshness of the citrus notes give good balance to this wine.

CELLARING POTENTIAL: 8-10 years